

STATE OF INDIANA  
DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCE  
Room N-1058, IGCN – 100 North Senate  
Indianapolis, IN 46204

**ORDER A07-124**

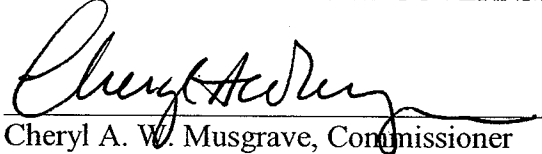
**IN THE MATTER OF THE REQUEST OF  
THE LAKE COUNTY UNIT, LAKE COUNTY  
DUE TO ANNEXATION, CONSOLIDATION OR EXTENSION OF SERVICES**

The Department of Local Government Finance has reviewed your appeal for an excessive levy for an increase due to ANNEXATION, CONSOLIDATION, OR EXTENSION OF SERVICES in the amount of \$614,610. After a review of the petition and a recommendation of the Local Government Tax Control Board, pursuant to IC 6-1.1-18.5-12, and in consideration of all evidence provided, the Department of Local Government Finance finds as follows:

**MODIFIED APPROVAL:**

Excessive levy appeal for the LAKE COUNTY UNIT, LAKE COUNTY, due to ANNEXATION, CONSOLIDATION OR EXTENSION OF SERVICES in the amount of \$472,245. The amount was modified not to exceed unit's demonstrated need.

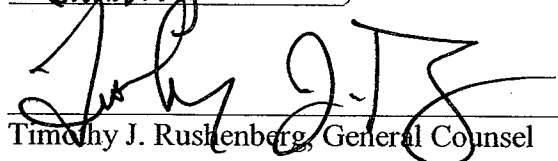
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Cheryl A. W. Musgrave, Commissioner

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I, Timothy J. Rushenberg, General Counsel for the Department of Local Government Finance, hereby certify that the above is an order of the Commissioner of the Department of Local Government Finance made this date in the above entitled matter and that the Commissioner has personally signed the same under her statutory authority.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL of this Department on this 4<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2008

  
Timothy J. Rushenberg, General Counsel